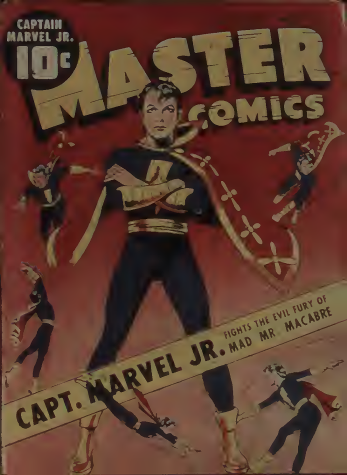
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CAPT. MARVEL JR. FIGHTS THE EVIL FURY OF MAD MR. MACABRE

HOME-FRONT HEROES!

NOT ALL THE HEROES OF THIS WAR [illegible] UNIFORMS. [illegible] Col[illegible] Kel[illegible] Eddie [illegible]ores and [illegible] front too! And [illegible] find them [illegible] [illegible]scope des[illegible] stories hard at [illegible] home now and [illegible] to spell doom for the A[illegible].

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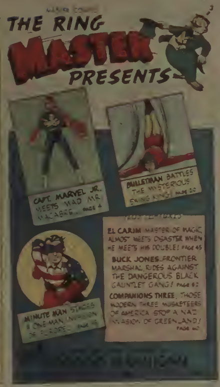
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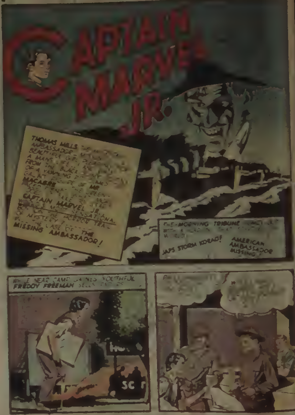
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THOMAS MILLS [illegible] AMBASSADOR [illegible] BEAUTIFUL GIRL [illegible] A MAN'S LIFE [illegible] FROM THE BLACK [illegible] OF A VANISHING [illegible] GAUNT FIGURE OF [illegible] MACABRE [illegible] MR [illegible] CAPTAIN MARVEL JR. [illegible] MOST SENSATIONAL [illegible] THE HORROR TRA[illegible] OF MYSTERY [illegible] THE CASE OF THE MISSING AMBASSADOR!
THE MORNING TRIBUNE [illegible] WORLD [illegible]
JAPS STORM KORAO!
AMERICAN AMBASSADOR MISSING!
[illegible] NEAR CAMP [illegible] YOUTHFUL FREDDY FREEMAN SELLS [illegible]
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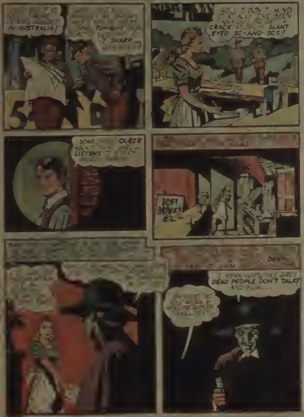
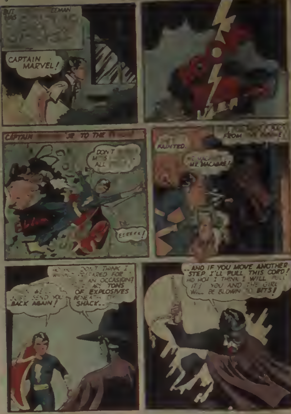
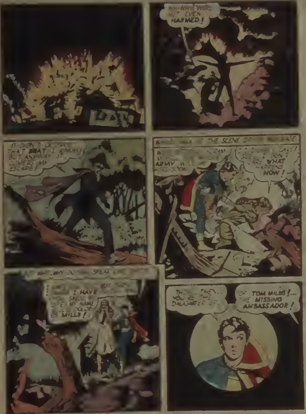
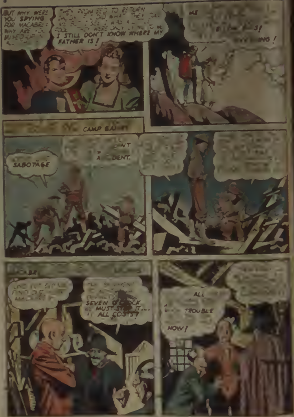
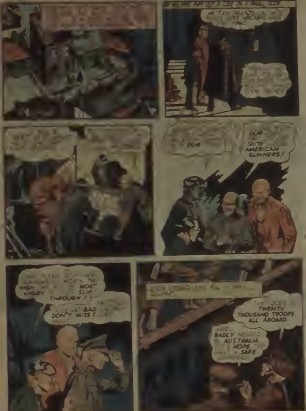


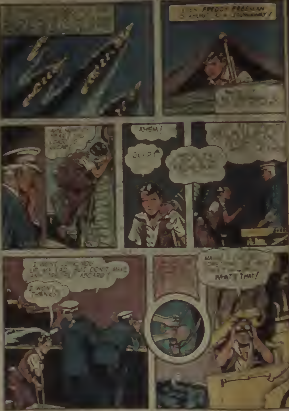
IN AUSTRALIA!
TONIGHT [illegible] 7 SHARP
[illegible] CRACK AT [illegible] SLANT EYED SO-AND-SOS!
SOME[illegible] QUEER [illegible] LISTENS [illegible]
SOFT DRINKS
DEA
I MEAN JUST THIS GIRL! DEAD PEOPLE DON'T TALK! AND NOW---

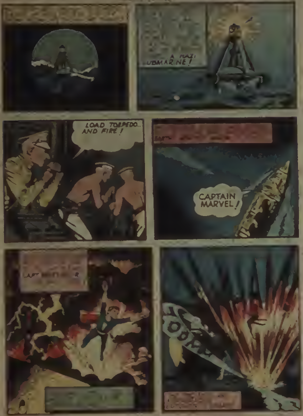

BUT EEMAN WAS
CAPTAIN MARVEL!
CAPTAIN JR TO THE
DON'T M S ALL
EEEEKK!
FAINTED.
FROM
MR. MACABRE!
JUST SEND YOU BACK AGAIN!
DON'T THINK I PREPARED FOR AN OCCASION? ARE TONS OF EXPLOSIVES BENEATH THE SHACK..
..AND IF YOU MOVE ANOTHER STEP I'LL PULL THIS CORD! HO HO! I THINK I WILL PULL IT! YOU AND THE GIRL WILL BE BLOWN TO BITS!

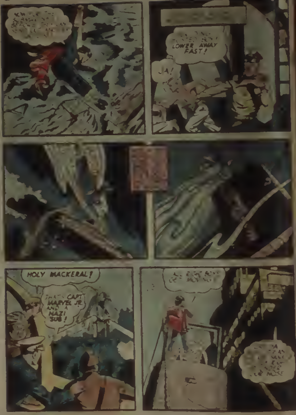

NOT EVEN HARMED!
THAT BRAT ... BUT ANYWAY IT COVERED MY ESCAPE!
THE SCENE OF
ARMY
CARE WHAT HAPPENS NOW!
SPEAK
I HAVE ... SAVED ... LIFE. MY NAME ... MILLS!
THEN... YOU'RE THE DAUGHTER OF...
OF TOM MILES!... THE MISSING AMBASSADOR!

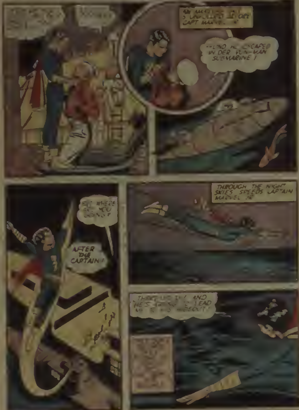

BUT WHY WERE YOU SPYING FOR VACABRE? WHY ARE YOU MIXED UP IN
I STILL DON'T KNOW WHERE MY FATHER IS!
ME
S!
ING!
CAMP
SABOTAGE
ONT
ACCIDENT.
SEVEN O'CLOCK WE MUST STOP IT... AT ALL COSTS!
ALL
TROUBLE
NOW!

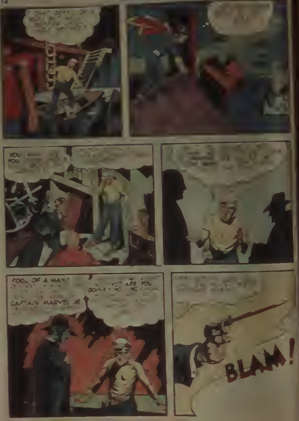

OUR
OUR
GUTS
AMERICAN GUNNERS!
HIGH MOST ANGRY SLIP THROUGH!
BAD DON'T MISS!
TWENTY THOUSAND TROOPS ALL ABOARD.
BADLY NEEDED AUSTRALIA HOPE SAFE


FREDDY FREEMAN
STOWAWAY!
AHEM!
GULP!
ABOARD!
THANKS
WHAT'S THAT!

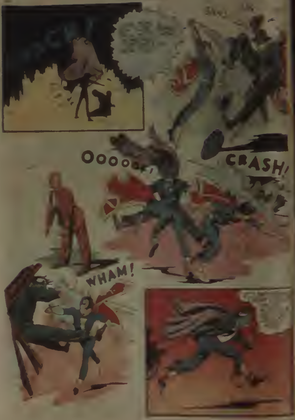

A NAZI SUBMARINE!
LOAD TORPEDO.. AND FIRE!
CAPTAIN MARVEL!
BOOM

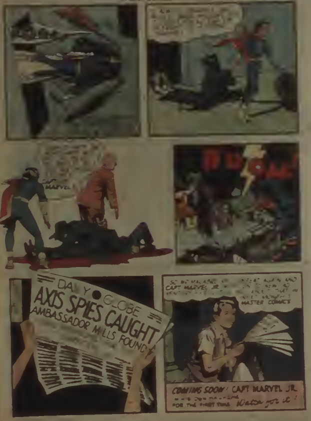

LOWER AWAY FAST!
JA!
HOLY MACKERAL!
THAT'S CAPT. MARVEL JR. AND A NAZI SUB!
ALL RIGHT BOYS GET MOVING!


SO AMAZING [illegible] UNVEILED [illegible] DER CAPT MARVEL [illegible]!
--UND HE ESCAPED IN DER VUN-MAN SUBMARINE!
HEY! WHERE ARE YOU GOING?
AFTER THE CAPTAIN!
THROUGH THE NIGHT SKIES SPEEDS CAPTAIN MARVEL JR
THERE HE IS! AND HE'S GOING TO LEAD ME TO HIS HIDEOUT!


YOU
YOU
FOOL OF A MAN!
CAPTAIN MARVEL JR
ARE YOU
BLAM!

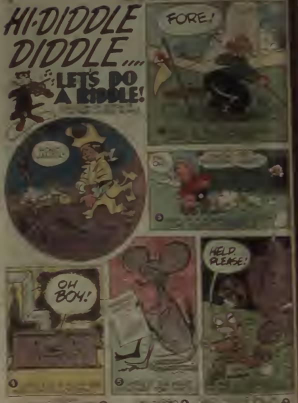
NOW
ANY M
BOTH
CRASH
BEST
END!
L-LOOK!


OOOOO...
CRASH!
WHAM!


CAPT. MARVEL
BOOM!
DAILY GLOBE
AXIS SPIES CAUGHT
AMBASSADOR MILLS FOUND
CAPT. MARVEL JR. … MASTER COMICS
COMING SOON! CAPT. MARVEL JR.
FOR THE FIRST TIME. Watch for it!

HI-DIDDLE DIDDLE....

LET'S DO A RIDDLE!



FORE!
OH BOY!
HELP, PLEASE!
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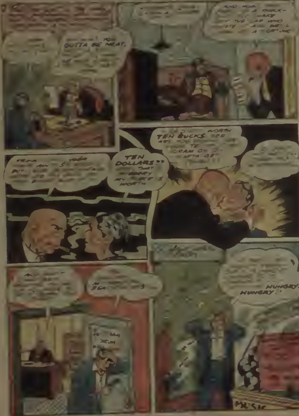
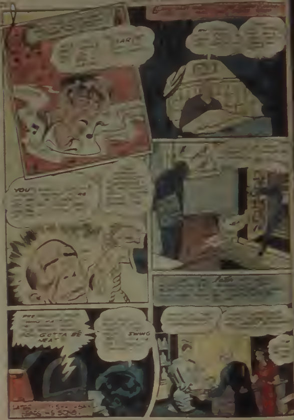
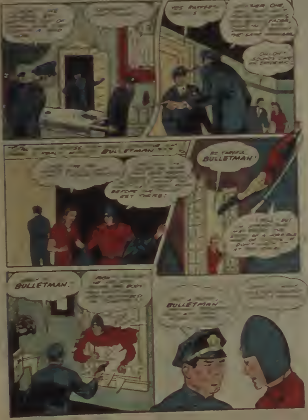
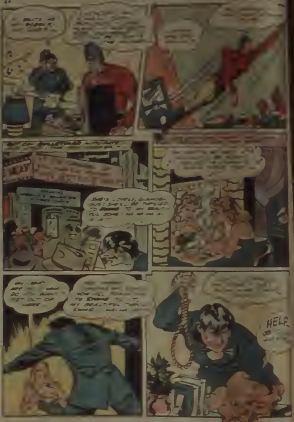
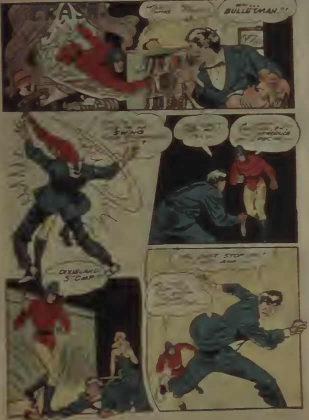
THE FLYING DETECTIVE
BULLETMAN
ONE MORE ME ASLEEP AND I'M THROUGH

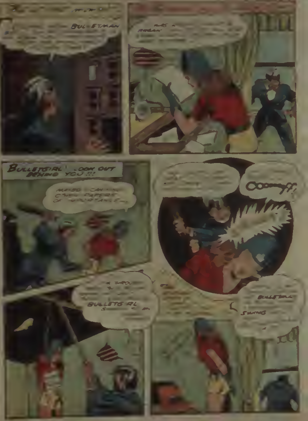

GOTTA BE NEAT,
AND NOW ... A THICK- ... MAKE ... THE ... WHO ...
TEN BUCKS ... WORTH
TEN DOLLARS?? ... THAT ... WORTH
HUNGRY. HUNGRY.'
MUSIK


IAR
YOU
GOTTA BE NEAT
SWING
Later
SONG.

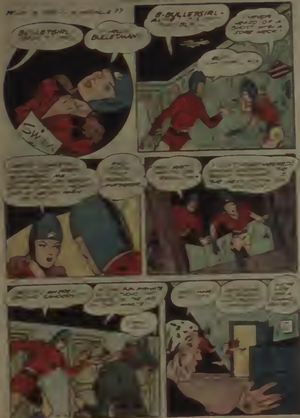

YES PARTNER
THE SAME
OH-OH! SOUNDS LIKE AN EMERGENCY!
BULLETMAN
BEFORE WE GET THERE!
BE CAREFUL, BULLETMAN!
OF A HORRIBLE
DON'T
BULLETMAN.
BODY
BULLETMAN

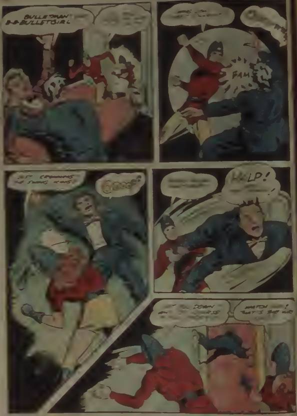

GET OUT OF HERE
HELP

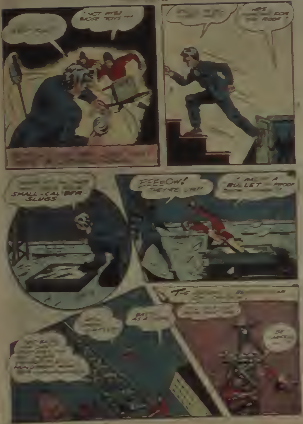

CRASH
BULLETMAN.
SWING
TROUBLE
DIXIELAND STOMP
STOP

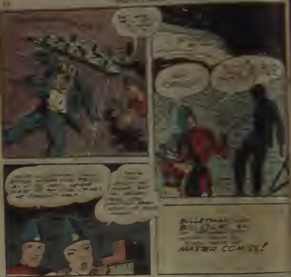

BULLETMAN
BULLETGIRL! LOOK OUT BEHIND YOU!!!
MAYBE I CAN FIND OTHER PAPERS OF IMPORTANCE...
OOOMPFF!
BULLETGIRL
BULLETGIRL
SWING

BULLETGIRL CAN'T
BULLETGIRL CAN'T
BULLETGIRL


WHAT IS THIS -- A MIRACLE ??
BULLETGIRL
BULLETMAN
SWISH!
B-BULLETGIRL -
I NEVER HEARD OF A GHOST WITH A SORE NECK!
SANDERS
PRIVATE DOC


BULLETMAN
B-B-BULLETGIRL
BAM
JUST CROWNING THE SWING KING!
OOOF
HELP!
DOWN
WATCH OUT! THAT'S THE


NOT WITH THOSE TOYS ...
FOR THE ROOF
SMALL-CALIBER SLUGS
EEEEOW! THEY'RE ...!
A BULLET PROOF
THE
AS A
BE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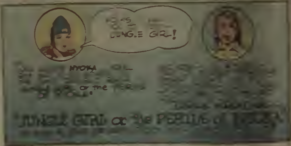
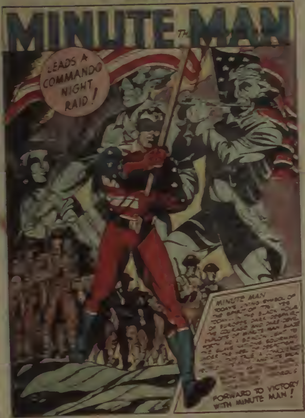
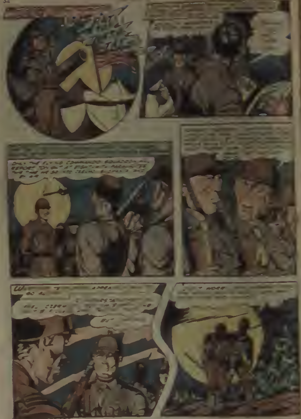
MASTER COMICS!

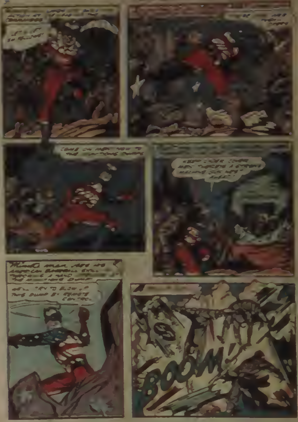

JUNGLE GIRL!
NYOKA
or the
"JUNGLE GIRL or the PERILS of NYOKA"

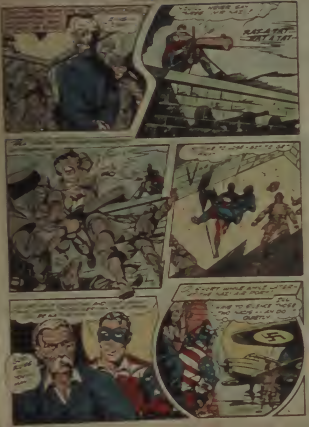


MINUTE MAN
LEADS A COMMANDO NIGHT RAID!
MINUTE MAN [illegible]
FORWARD TO VICTORY WITH MINUTE MAN!

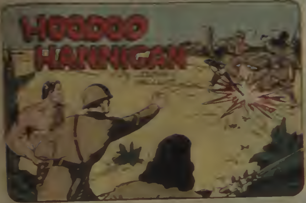


THE PLANES ZOOM


BOOM!


RAT-A-TAT-
TAT-A-TAT-

WHAM
MINUTE MAN



Hoodoo [illegible] got [illegible] bad luck. Touring the South Seas with a [illegible] boating [illegible] Hoodoo got caught in the Jap [illegible] of December 7th. [illegible] gone his partner dead, Hoodoo found [illegible] trapped on Lanca Island with strong men John Jones and Dave Wade, beautiful [illegible] rider [illegible] boy [illegible] pay [illegible] Hoodoo wanted [illegible] three people and Chee Chee the monkey against a whole Jap army —

[illegible]

[illegible]

G[illegible] crashing [illegible]

[illegible] advance [illegible] person bursting [illegible] upon [illegible] between the [illegible] pace [illegible] them out [illegible]

[illegible] reached [illegible] drawn [illegible] bursting [illegible]

[illegible] and [illegible]

"We [illegible]

[illegible] brush [illegible] over [illegible] bodies [illegible] the Japs [illegible] When [illegible] and Acme [illegible] him [illegible] struggling [illegible] officer [illegible] growled [illegible] and [illegible] brown [illegible]

[illegible] soldier [illegible]

[illegible] more [illegible] a dagger [illegible] But [illegible] Hannigan [illegible]. "We can't stay [illegible] around [illegible] The [illegible] have [illegible] down there [illegible] and around [illegible] we march down and get that boat. [illegible] we get [illegible] enough [illegible] grenades [illegible]

Acme [illegible] the [illegible] that was [illegible] his strong-arm [illegible] when the bullets [illegible] mentioned.

"Heck," he muttered. "[illegible] a Jap [illegible] where [illegible]

[illegible] prisoner [illegible] We [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] clear [illegible] a prisoner [illegible] and stare until too late."

Dawn Wade stepped, half [illegible] a Jap uniform, and kissed Hoodoo Hannigan on one [illegible] cheek.

"Hoodoo, you're wonderful."

Hannigan blushed and [illegible] began collecting their captured weapons.

"I'll borrow that kiss," he growled. "When we get clear of [illegible] this trouble, I'll give it back again—with interest."

THE JAP searchers were very [illegible] behind when Hoodoo and Dawn, in the [illegible] officer and a marine, calmly marched down the slope [illegible] beach. Hoodoo, as befitted an officer, carried only [illegible] hand grenades and the black bag they had [illegible] from the [illegible] since Dawn held the bayoneted rifle, [illegible] which she [illegible] a realistic job of prodding Atlas Jones.

"Hoodoo," Dawn [illegible]

[illegible] grenade cupped in [illegible] to [illegible] Dawn and [illegible] the egg, go into action. [illegible]

[illegible] had his big hands, hands [illegible] or round a xylophone [illegible]

Down on the beach, [illegible] dozen men [illegible] staring [illegible]

[illegible] the [illegible] moment time [illegible] screamed [illegible] a private whose [illegible] A [illegible] ward [illegible] screamed [illegible]

And the hand grenade [illegible] off. [illegible] at the feet of the screaming Japs. [illegible] burst of [illegible] flame [illegible] thunder [illegible] screamed with the flight of shrapnel.

HOODOO was running forward, tugging at [illegible], [illegible] face shielded against the beating blast. Atlas Jones was racing forward, roaring a wordless war-cry. Dawn had the captured rifle to her shoulder, shooting furiously.

The Jap group [illegible] torn and flung by the blast. Two or three tried to shoot and were caught when a second grenade exploded. In a dozen roaring moments the beach-head was clear of Japs.

"Into the boat!" Hannigan roared and slashed at the anchor rope with one of his throwing knives.

He caught Dawn's slender figure, hurled her over the gunwale. Atlas Jones, panting and snarling, splashed into the

[illegible] at the [illegible]

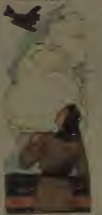
L[illegible] around [illegible] pattered [illegible] and [illegible] go [illegible] down the [illegible] engines caught [illegible] big boat [illegible] more [illegible] and began [illegible]

[illegible] Behind [illegible] was no more screaming [illegible] breathed [illegible] made [illegible] We [illegible]

[illegible] said, and [illegible] these [illegible] destroyers and their [illegible] dodge [illegible] and get [illegible] some place where [illegible] can [illegible]

T[illegible] indicating. One [illegible] gray destroyers [illegible] was [illegible] Even as [illegible] guns [illegible] of the [illegible] the [illegible]

A [illegible] when [illegible] as [illegible] them [illegible] from the burning [illegible] faced [illegible] began [illegible] the wheel [illegible] the power [illegible]



[illegible] leaping and dodging [illegible] he said grim[illegible] began [illegible] get [illegible] hold out [illegible] we [illegible] get a chance [illegible]

Atlas Jones grow[illegible] But that [illegible] headed [illegible] and [illegible] cock-eyed [illegible] this [illegible]

[illegible] Hannigan grow[illegible] "Quite a [illegible] We've got [illegible] that's a [illegible] Atlas [illegible] so darn [illegible]

[illegible] always are [illegible] head. [illegible] at.

A [illegible] swung [illegible] open [illegible] Wade [illegible] down beside Hoodoo Hannigan, [illegible] the grey [illegible] the destroyer cut their [illegible] There [illegible] now [illegible] had settled to a grim chase.

[illegible] Dawn [illegible] at last.

[illegible] down at her [illegible] he [illegible] grow[illegible]

[illegible] Jones [illegible] gave [illegible] age. [illegible] see the [illegible] dancing [illegible]

[illegible] Hoodoo demanded [illegible] hands [illegible] these [illegible] fists. [illegible] dirty [illegible]

"What [illegible]" asked [illegible] there any food?"

"Food?" [illegible] red-[illegible] rage. "Food? [illegible] you [illegible] every doggone [illegible] you know [illegible]"

"What?" [illegible] grin at the big man's anger.

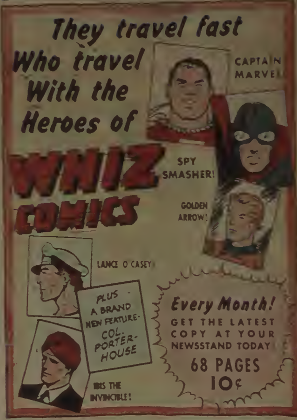
[illegible] Jones. [illegible] a doggone thing [illegible] stomach [illegible] my throat [illegible] been [illegible] and [illegible] got [illegible] not [illegible]

"Never mind," Dawn said sudden[illegible] "We won't be [illegible] much longer—any of [illegible]"

Something [illegible] new voice made Hannigan whirl. He saw the grim [illegible] clinging dogged[illegible] behind.

And he saw the [illegible] fighter plane being set [illegible] launching [illegible] on [illegible] destroyer. In a moment that [illegible] plane would soar off, [illegible] and [illegible] at them with [illegible] guns ripping and [illegible] There [illegible] defense against [illegible] winged killer, no [illegible] of flight. The boat could do [illegible] plane [illegible] unaided.

What chance have the fugi[illegible] Hoodoo Hannigan [illegible] Read the answer next month . . .



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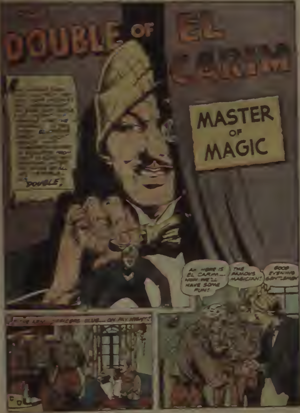
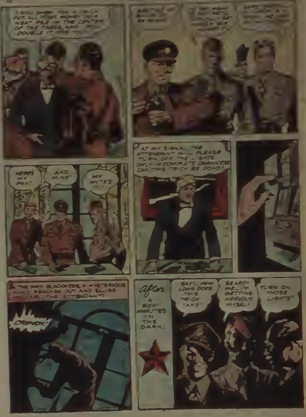
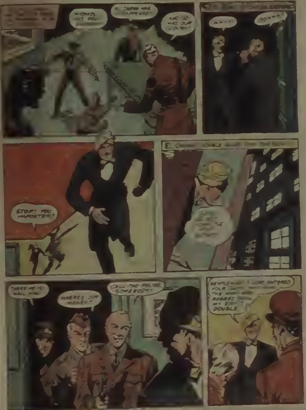
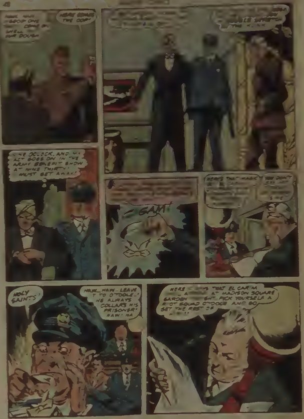
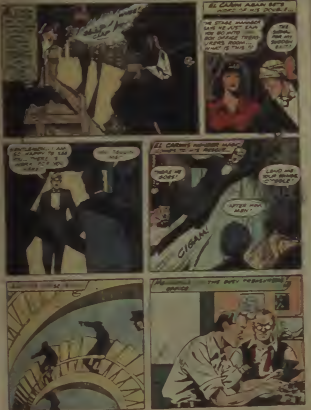
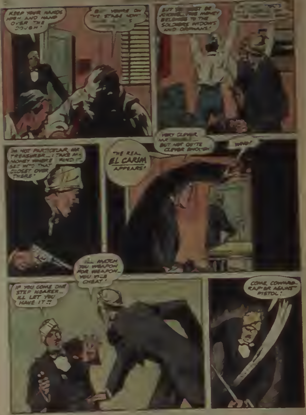

DOUBLE OF EL CARIM
MASTER OF MAGIC
[illegible] DOUBLE.
[illegible] SORCERERS CLUB... ON [illegible] NIGHT!
AH HERE IS EL CARIM... NOW WE'LL HAVE SOME FUN!
THE FAMOUS MAGICIAN!
GOOD EVENING GENTLEMEN

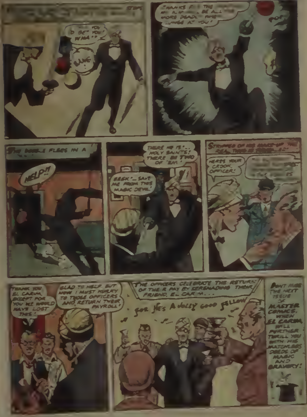

I WILL SHOW YOU A "TRICK" PUT ALL YOUR MONEY IN A NEAT PILE IN THE CENTER OF THE TABLE AND I'LL DOUBLE IT FOR YOU
HERE'S MY PAY!
AND MINE!
MY ANTES!
AT MY SIGNAL THE ATTENDANT WILL PLEASE TURN OFF THE LIGHTS ONLY IN COMPLETE DARKNESS CAN THIS TRICK BE DONE!
THE INKY BLACKNESS, A MYSTERIOUS HAND REACHES OUT AND SLUGS THE ATTENDANT!
CRUNCH!
After A FEW MINUTES IN THE DARK!
SAY! HOW LONG DOES THIS TRICK TAKE?
SEARCH ME... I'M GETTING NERVOUS MYSELF!
TURN ON THOSE LIGHTS!

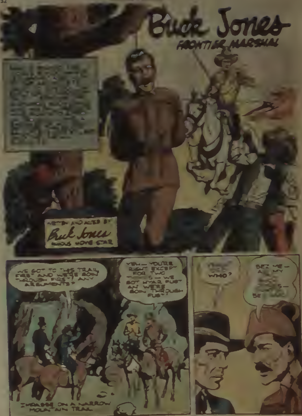

CARSON HAS DISAPPEARED!
AND SO HAS OUR DOUGH!
STOP! YOU IMPOSTER!
THERE HE IS! NAIL HIM
WHERES OUR MONEY?
CALL THE POLICE, SOMEBODY!
GENTLEMEN ... ENTERED YOUR ... THE ... ROBBED ... MY ... DOUBLE

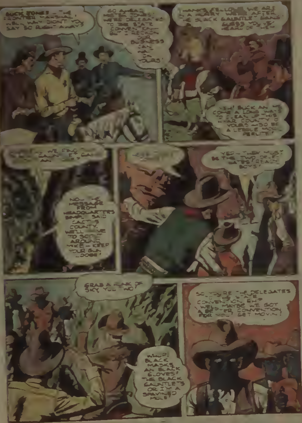

HAW, HAW ... GROUP ONE ... COME ON ... SWELL ... OUR DOUGH
HERE COMES THE COPS
NINE O'CLOCK, AND MY ACT GOES ON IN THE ARMY BENEFIT SHOW AT NINE THIRTY! MUST GET AWAY!
GAM!
HERE'S THAT MAGIC
YOU DON'T
HOLY SAINTS!
HAW, HAW - LEAVE IT TO O'TOOLE - HE ALWAYS COLLARS HIS PRISONER! HAW! HA
HERE ... THAT EL CARIM ... AT MADISON SQUARE GARDEN ... PICK YOURSELF A RIOT SQUAD O'TOOLE AND GO GET THE REST OF

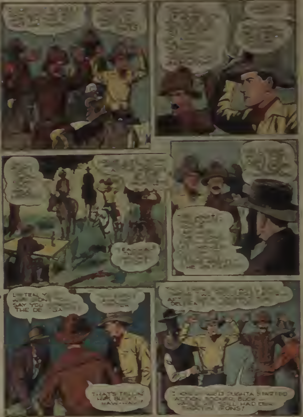

WHEE!
CLAP! CLAP!
EL CARIM AGAIN GETS WORD OF HIS DOUBLE...
THE STAGE MANAGER SAYS HE JUST SAW YOU GO INTO BOX OFFICE TREASURER'S ROOM... WHAT IS THIS ?
THE SIGNAL FOR MY SUDDEN EXIT!
GENTLEMEN... I AM SO HAPPY TO SEE YOU... THERE IS WORK FOR YOU HERE!
EL CARIM'S WONDER MAGIC COMES TO HIS RESCUE...
THERE HE GOES!
LEND ME YOUR MAGIC CYMBALS!
AFTER HIM, MEN!
CIGAM!
ME[illegible] THE BUSY TREASURER'S OFFICE

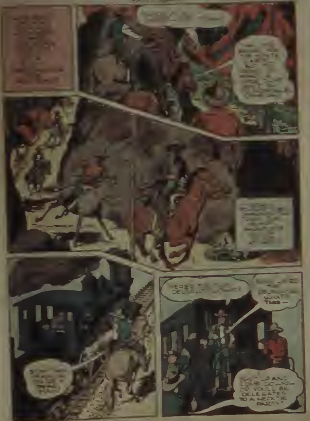

KEEP YOUR HANDS HIGH AND HAND OVER THE DOUGH!
BUT YOU'RE ON THE STAGE NOW
BUT IT MUST BE ... THIS MONEY BELONGS TO THE SOLDIERS WIDOWS AND ORPHANS!
I'M NOT PARTICULAR, MR. TREASURER... I TAKE MY MONEY WHERE I FIND IT. GET INTO THAT CLOSET OVER THERE!
THE REAL EL CARIM APPEARS!
VERY CLEVER, MR. ... BUT NOT QUITE CLEVER ENOUGH!
WHO?
IF YOU COME ONE STEP NEARER... I'LL LET YOU HAVE IT!!
I'LL MATCH YOU WEAPON FOR WEAPON... YOU VILE CHEAT!
COME, COWARD... RAPIER AGAINST PISTOL!

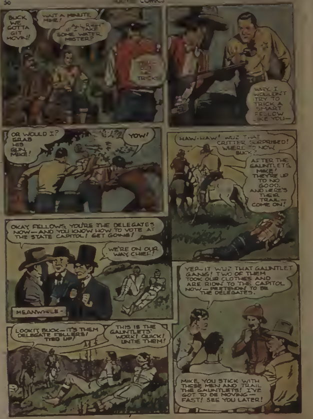

STEPS
D GET YOU! WHA--?
THANKS FOR THE ... BE ALL THE MORE DEADLY ... LUNGE AT YOU!
POP
THE DOUBLE FLEES IN A
HELP!!
THERE HE IS!.. HOLY SAINTS! THERE BE TWO OF 'EM!
EEEK!-- SAVE ME FROM THIS MAGIC DEVIL!
STRIPPED OF HIS MAKE-UP THE REAL THIEF IS ...
HERE'S YOUR CROOK, OFFICER!
THANK YOU EL CARIM. EXCEPT FOR YOU WE WOULD HAVE LOST THIS!
GLAD TO HELP. BUT NOW I MUST HURRY TO THOSE OFFICERS AND RETURN THEIR PAYROLL!
THE OFFICERS CELEBRATE THE RETURN OF THEIR PAY BY SERENADING THEIR FRIEND, EL CARIM...
FOR HE'S A JOLLY GOOD FELLOW
DON'T MISS THE NEXT ISSUE OF MASTER COMICS, WHEN EL CARIM WILL FURTHER THRILL YOU WITH HIS MATCHLESS DEEDS OF MAGIC AND BRAVERY!

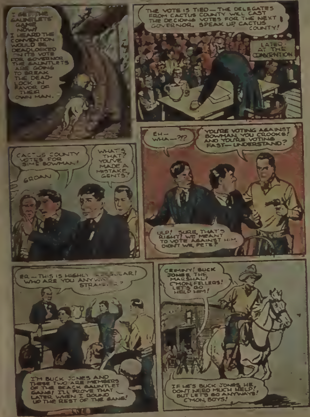

Buck Jones
FRONTIER MARSHAL
WRITTEN AND ACTED BY Buck Jones FAMOUS MOVIE STAR
WE GOT TO THIS TRAIL FIRST AND WE'RE GOIN' THROUGH FIRST! ANY ARGUMENTS?
YEH — YOU'RE RIGHT EXCEPT FOR TWO THINGS — WE GOT HYAR FUST AN' WE'RE GOIN' THROUGH FUST
IMPASSE ON A NARROW MOUNTAIN TRAIL
[illegible] WHO?
BEZ ME — AN' MY [illegible] S — SE[illegible]

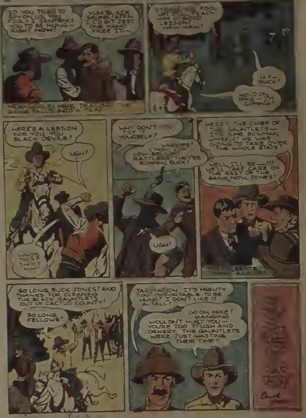

BUCK JONES — THE FRONTIER MARSHAL! WAL, WHY DIDN'T YOU SAY SO RIGHT AWAY?
GO AHEAD MISTER JONES! WE'RE DELEGATES TO THE STATE CONVENTION — BUT I RECKON OUR BUSINESS CAN WAIT ON YOURS!
THANKS, FELLOWS! WE ARE IN A HURRY! WE'RE AFTER THE BLACK GAUNTLET GANG! GUESS YOU'VE HEARD OF 'EM —
YEH! BUCK AN' ME COME A LONG WAYS TO CLEAN UP THIS HYAR COUNTY O' YOURS — SO BE A LEETLE MORE PERLITE!
[illegible] WE FIND [illegible] GAUNTLET [illegible]
NOW, THE MESSAGE FROM HEADQUARTERS SIMPLY SAID CACTUS COUNTY. WE'LL HAVE TO SCOUT AROUND, MIKE — KEEP YOUR GUN LOOSE!
YEP — THEY MUST BE THE TWO DELEGATES! READY, BOYS!
GRAB A HUNK OF SKY, YOU TWO!
WHUP! BLACK MASKS AN' BLACK GLOVES! THE BLACK GAUNTLETS OR I'M A SPAVINED MULE!
SO, YOU'RE THE DELEGATES TO THE STATE CONVENTION, EH? WELL, MAYBE WE GOT A BETTER CONVENTION FOR YOU! GET MOVIN'!


LISTEN Y
SAY YOU
THE DE
THAT'S TELLIN' HIM, BUCK! HAW-HAW!
AFT
DELTA
OUGHTA STARTED ACTION SOONER, BUCK — STILL HAD OUR SHOOTIN' IRONS!


WHAT THE—
OR YOU'LL BE DELEGATES TO A NECKTIE PARTY!


BUCK WE GOTTA GIT MOVIN'!
WAIT A MINUTE MIKE!
ALL RIGHT IF I TAKE SOME WATER MISTER?
[illegible] TRICK
WHY, I WOULDN'T TRY TO TRICK A SMART FELLOW LIKE YOU—
OR WOULD I? GRAB HIS GUN, MIKE!
YOW!
HAW-HAW! WUZ THAT CRITTER SURPRISED! WHERE TO NOW, BUCK?
AFTER THE GAUNTLETS, MIKE! THEY'RE UP TO NO GOOD. AND HERE'S THEIR TRAIL— COME ON!
OKAY, FELLOWS, YOU'RE THE DELEGATES NOW—AND YOU KNOW HOW TO VOTE AT THE STATE CAPITOL! GET GOING!
WE'RE ON OUR WAY, CHIEF!
MEANWHILE—
YEP—IT WUZ THAT GAUNTLET GANG! TWO OF THEM TOOK OUR CLOTHES AND ARE RIDIN' TO THE CAPITOL NOW—PRETENDIN' TO BE THE DELEGATES.
LOOKIT, BUCK—IT'S THEM DELEGATE FELLERS! TIED UP!
THIS IS THE GAUNTLETS' WORK! QUICK! UNTIE THEM!
MIKE, YOU STICK WITH THESE MEN AND TRAIL THE GAUNTLETS! I'VE GOT TO BE MOVING— FAST! SEE YOU LATER!


I GET THE GAUNTLETS' GAME NOW! I HEARD THE CONVENTION WOULD BE DEADLOCKED ON ITS VOTE FOR GOVERNOR. THE GAUNTLETS ARE GOING TO BREAK THE DEADLOCK IN FAVOR OF THEIR OWN MAN.
THE VOTE IS TIED — THE DELEGATES FROM CACTUS COUNTY WILL CAST THE DECIDING VOTES FOR THE NEXT GOVERNOR. SPEAK UP, CACTUS COUNTY!
LATER- AT THE CONVENTION
CACTUS COUNTY VOTES FOR SIME BOWMAN!
GROAN
WHAT'S THAT? YOU'VE MADE A MISTAKE, GENTS!
EH— WHA—?!?
YOU'RE VOTING AGAINST BOWMAN, YOU CROOKS! AND YOU'RE VOTING FAST— UNDERSTAND?
ULP! SURE, THAT'S RIGHT! WE MEANT TO VOTE AGAINST HIM, DIDN'T WE, PETE?
ER — THIS IS HIGHLY IRREGULAR! WHO ARE YOU ANYWAY, STRANGER?
I'M BUCK JONES AND THESE TWO ARE MEMBERS OF THE BLACK GAUNTLET GANG! I'LL PROVE THAT LATER WHEN I ROUND UP THE REST OF THE GANG!
CRIMINY! BUCK JONES, THE MARSHAL! C'MON FELLERS! LET'S GO HELP HIM!
IF HE'S BUCK JONES, HE DON'T NEED MUCH HELP! BUT LET'S GO ANYWAYS! C'MON, BOYS!


SO YOU TRIED TO SPY ON US, YOU FOOL! I SENTENCE YOU TO BE HUNG— RIGHT NOW!
YUH BLACK SKUNK! EFFN I CD GIT JEST ONE HAND FREE I'D—
MEANWHILE! MIKE TEA... THE GANG FALLS INTO A TRA...
STR... FOOL UP! ... TEACH HIM A GOOD LESSON! HAW-HAW!
UD— BUCK!
HOLD ON, MIKE — I'M COMING!
HERE'S A LESSON FOR YOU, YOU BLACK DEVILS!
UGH!
WHO'S TH...S? SHOOT HIM!
WHY DON'T ... TRY IT YOURSELF?
WHOOPS!
C'MON ... LOW-BE... RATTLE...S! THEY'RE R..., BUCK!
UGH!
HERE'S THE CHIEF OF THE GAUNTLETS— ...S SIME BOWMAN, HIMSELF! HE WAS GOING TO TAKE OVER THE WHOLE STATE!
WELL, I'LL BE—!!! WE'LL TAKE CARE OF THE REST OF THE GANG, NOW, JONES!
...ARR
SO LONG, BUCK JONES! AND THANKS FOR CLEANING THE BLACK GAUNTLETS OUT OF CACTUS COUNTY!
SO LONG, FELLOWS!
TAR...ATION! IT'S MIGHTY UN...FORTABLE TO BE HUNG! I DON'T LIKE IT A-TALL!
GO ON, MIKE! HANGING WOULDN'T HURT YOU— YOU'RE TOO TOUGH AND ORNERY. THE GAUNTLETS WERE JUST WASTING THEIR TIME!
Buck

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GIANT THRILLS!

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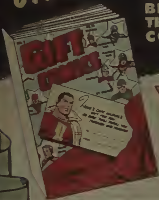

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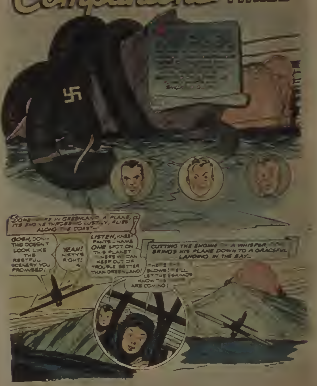
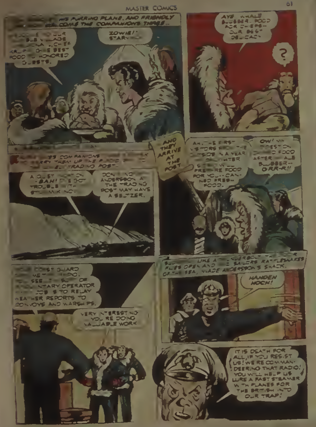
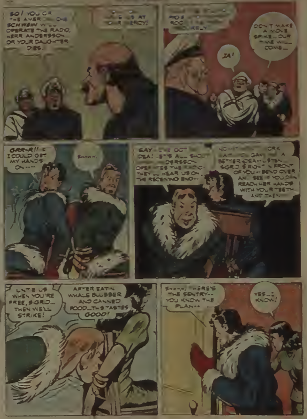
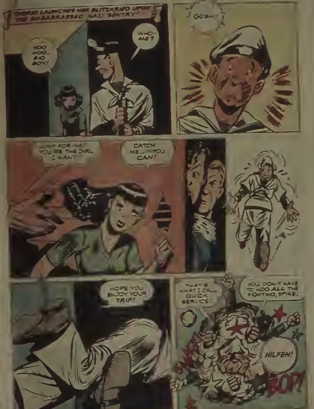
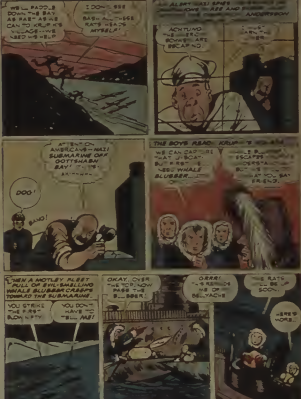
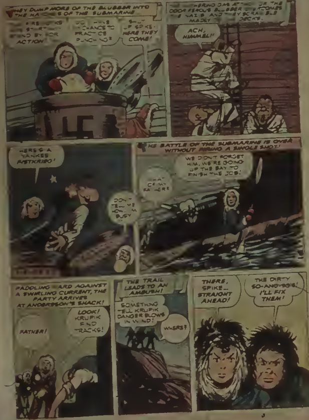

SOMEWHERE IN GREENLAND A PLANE, ITS ENGINE THROBBING LUSTILY, FLIES ALONG THE COAST—
GOSH, DON— THIS DOESN'T LOOK LIKE THE RESTFUL SCENERY YOU PROMISED!
YEAH! NETTY'S RIGHT!
LISTEN, KNEE-PANTS—NAME ONE SPOT ON THIS PLANET WHERE WE CAN KEEP OUT OF TROUBLE BETTER THAN GREENLAND!
CUTTING THE ENGINE TO A WHISPER, [illegible] BRINGS HIS PLANE DOWN TO A GRACEFUL LANDING IN THE BAY—
THERE SHE BLOWS! I'LL LET THE ESKIMOS KNOW WE ARE COMING!

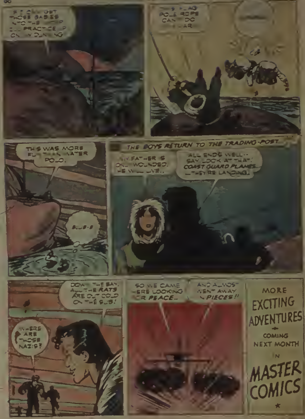

[illegible] HIS PURRING PLANE, AND FRIENDLY [illegible] WELCOME THE COMPANIONS THREE...
WELCOME TO OUR BLUBBER PLACE [illegible] CHIEF KRUP [illegible] GIVE BEST FOOD TO HONORED GUESTS.
ZOWIE! STARVING!
AYE WHALE BLUBBER. FOOD FOR CHIEFS-- OUR BEST DELICACY
?
[illegible] COMPANIONS [illegible] TO CARRY THEM UP THE FJORD [illegible] THE LONELY TRADING POST.
A QUIET NIGHT ON -BAH! I'VE GOT TROUBLE WITH STUMMIK NOT.
DON'T WORRY! ANDERSSON AT THE TRADING POST MAY HAVE A SELTZER.
AND THEY ARRIVE AT THE POST
AH, THE FIRST VISITORS FROM THE OUTSIDE IN A YEAR [illegible] WINTER [illegible] STEW WILL PREPARE FOOD FOR YOU--CANNED FRESH FOOD.
OW! MY DIGESTION-- CANNED FOOD AFTER WHALE BLUBBER-- ORR-R!!
YOUR COAST GUARD GAVE ME THIS RADIO. YOU SEE, I'M SORT OF VOLUNTARY OPERATOR WHOSE JOB IS TO RELAY WEATHER REPORTS TO CONVOYS AND WARSHIPS.
VERY INTERESTING. YOU'RE DOING VALUABLE WORK
SUDDENLY, LIKE A THUNDERBOLT, THE DOOR FLIES OPEN AND THE SAILORS, RATTLESNAKES OF THE SEA, INVADE ANDERSSON'S SHACK.
HANDEN HOCH!
IT IS DEATH FOR ALL, IF YOU RESIST US! WE'RE COMMANDEERING THAT RADIO! YOU WILL HELP US LURE A FAST STEAMER WITH PLANES FOR THE BRITISH INTO OUR TRAP!


SO! YOU OR THE AVER[illegible] SCHWEIN WILL OPERATE THE RADIO, HERR ANDERSSON OR YOUR DAUGHTER DIES.
[illegible] US AT YOUR MERCY!
[illegible] SECURELY
DON'T MAKE A MOVE SPIKE—OUR TIME WILL COME—
JA!
GRR-R!! IF I COULD GET MY HANDS ON----
SHHHH.
SAY—I'VE GOT AN IDEA! LET'S ALL SHOUT WHEN ANDERSSON OPERATES THE RADIO. THEY'LL HEAR US ON THE RECEIVING END—
NO—IT WON'T WORK [illegible] GAVE ME A BETTER IDEA—LISTEN. SIGRID'S RIGHT IN FRONT OF YOU—BEND OVER AND SEE IF YOU CAN REACH HER HANDS WITH YOUR TEETH AND THEN—
UNTIE US WHEN YOU'RE FREE, SIGRID... THEN WE'LL STRIKE!
AFTER EATIN WHALE BLUBBER AND CANNED FOOD...THIS TASTES GOOD!
SHHH, THERE'S THE SENTRY-- YOU KNOW THE PLAN--
YES—I KNOW!


SIGRID LAUNCHES HER BLITZKRIEG UPON THE EMBARRASSED NAZI SENTRY!
YOO HOO- BIG BOY!
WHO- ME?
GOSH!!
WAIT FOR ME! YOU'RE THE GIRL I WANT
CATCH ME — IF YOU CAN!
HOPE YOU ENJOY YOUR TRIP!
THAT'S WHAT I CALL QUICK SERVICE.
YOU DON'T HAVE TO HOG ALL THE FIGHTING, SPIKE!
HILFEN!
BOP


WE'LL PADDLE DOWN THE BAY AS FAST AS WE CAN TO KRUPIK'S VILLAGE--WE NEED HIS HELP
I DON'T SEE ... BASH ALL THESE RATS' HEADS MYSELF!
AN ALERT NAZI SPIES ... ANDERSSON
ACHTUNG THE AMERICAN SCHWEIN ARE ESCAPING.
I MUST WARN THE ...
ATTENTION AMERICANS--NAZI SUBMARINE OFF GOTTSHABN BAY! ... AH-HHHH
OOO!
BANG!
THE BOYS REACH KRUPIK'S ...
WE CAN CAPTURE THAT U-BOAT. BUT FIRST WE... NEED WHALE BLUBBER...
... ESCAPES ... UNDERSTAND ... BUT ... WHAT YOU SAY FRIEND.
THEN A MOTLEY FLEET FULL OF EVIL-SMELLING WHALE BLUBBER CREEPS TOWARD THE SUBMARINE...
YOU STRIKE THE FIRST BLOW NIFTY
YOU DON'T HAVE TO TELL ME!
OKAY.. OVER THE TOP. NOW PASS THE BLUBBER!
GRRR! THIS REMINDS ME OF BELLYACHE
THE RATS WILL BE UP SOON.
HERE'S MORE..


THEY DUMP MORE OF THE BLUBBER INTO THE HATCHES OF THE SUBMARINE
THE FIREWORKS START— STAND BY FOR ACTION
YOU HAVE A CHANCE TO PRACTICE PUNCHING?
SHUT UP SPIKE. HERE THEY COME!
THE SMOTHERING GAS AND THE ODOR FEROUS BLUBBER OVERCOMES THE NAZIS AND THEY SCRAMBLE MADLY TO THE DECKS.
ACH, HIMMEL!!
HERE'S A YANKEE FISTKRIEG!
DON'T TELL ME NOW, I'M BUSY
THE BATTLE OF THE SUBMARINE IS OVER WITHOUT FIRING A SINGLE SHOT!
WHAT OF MY FATHER?
WE DON'T FORGET HIM. WE'RE GOING UP THE BAY TO FINISH THE JOB!
PADDLING HARD AGAINST A SWIRLING CURRENT, THE PARTY ARRIVES AT ANDERSON'S SHACK!
FATHER!
LOOK! KRUPIK FIND TRACKS!
THE TRAIL LEADS TO AN AMBUSH!
SOMETHING TELL KRUPIK DANGER BLOWS IN WIND!
WHERE?
THERE, SPIKE... STRAIGHT AHEAD!
THE DIRTY SO-AND-SO'S! I'LL FIX THEM!


IF I CAN GET THOSE BABIES INTO THE WATER I'LL PRACTICE UP ON MY DUNKING
THIS FLAG POLE ROPE CAN DO [illegible]
THIS WAS MORE FUN THAN WATER POLO.
BLUB-B
THE BOYS RETURN TO THE TRADING-POST
MY FATHER IS ONLY WOUNDED. HE WILL LIVE..
ALL ENDS WELL.. SAY LOOK AT THAT! COAST GUARD PLANES ..THEY'RE LANDING!
DOWN THE BAY, ALL THE RATS ARE OUT COLD ON THE SUB!
WHERE ARE THOSE NAZIS?
SO WE CAME HERE LOOKING FOR PEACE..
AND ALMOST WENT AWAY IN PIECES!!
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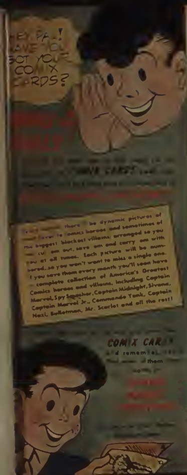
HEY PA..! HAVE YOU GOT YOUR COMIX CARDS?
COMIX CAR

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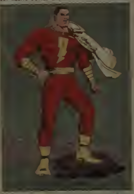

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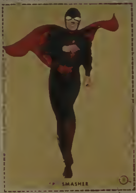

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